

## I. AMENDMENTS

### In the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

1. On the title page:

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2. Please insert the following new paragraph on page 2, first paragraph:

### CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a divisional application of co-pending application Serial No. 09/879,496, originally entitled "Method and Apparatus for Mixing Fluids, Separating Fluids, and Separating solids from Fluids," which is hereby incorporated by reference herein in its entirety, now U.S. Pat. No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued \_\_\_\_\_, entitled "Apparatus for Mixing Fluids" by Johnny Arnaud, also incorporated by reference herein in its entirety.